



Thermodynamics of heavy-light hadrons

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Outline

- 📌 Onset of deconfinement of open charm & strange hadrons
- 📌 Evidence for the thermodynamic contribution from experimentally not yet observed hadrons
- 📌 Influence of missing hadron states in the determination of hadronization T in the strange hadron sector

Deconfinement aspects of QCD transition

Light-quark hadrons get deconfined around T_c ,
 charmonia and bottomonia may survive at $T > T_c$ Matsui & Satz PLB '86

How about open charm & strange hadrons ?

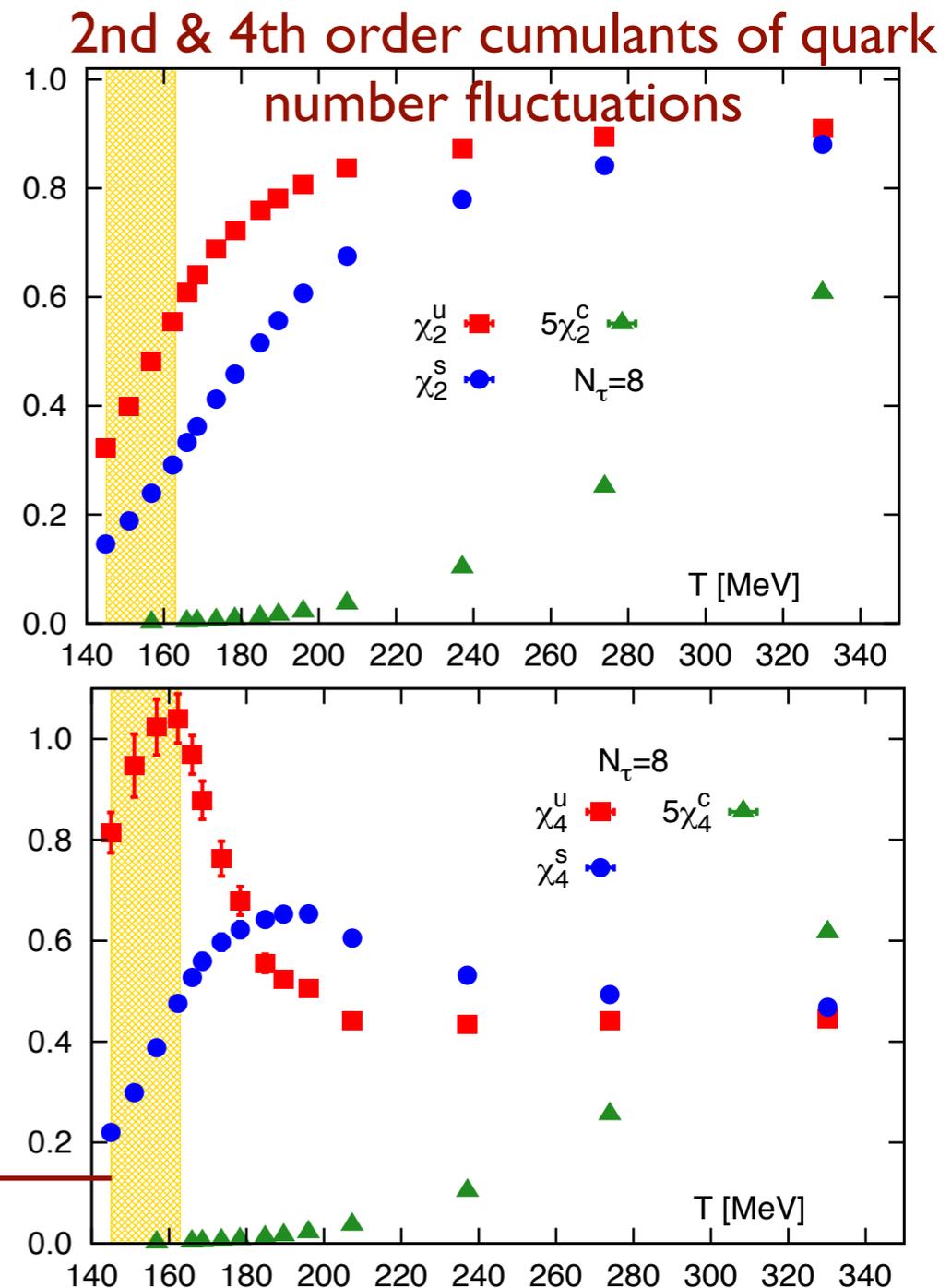
Strange quark, less affected by chiral symmetry, may remain confined at $T > T_c$?

Do strange hadrons survive at higher temperature ?

Freeze-out/hadronization hierarchy between light-quark & strange hadrons ?

$T_c = 154(9) \text{ MeV}$ ←

HotQCD, PRD85(2012)054503
 Wuppertal-Budapest, JHEP 1009 (2010) 073



fluctuations of conserved quantum numbers

In the confined hadronic phase: electric charge Q , baryon number B of hadrons are integer numbers

In the deconfined QGP phase: Q and B of quarks are fractional numbers

fluctuations of $B/Q/S/C$ and their correlations: probe the deconfined degrees of freedom for strange (S) and charm (C), **irrespective of quark mass**

$$\chi_{mn}^{XY} = \frac{\partial^{(m+n)} (p(\hat{\mu}_X, \hat{\mu}_Y)/T^4)}{\partial \hat{\mu}_X^m \partial \hat{\mu}_Y^n} \Big|_{\vec{\mu}=0}, \hat{\mu} = \mu/T, X, Y = \{B, Q, S, C\}$$

“order parameters”: construct observables that vanish in one phase and are nonzero in the other phase

Partial pressure of heavy-light hadrons from HRG

In the Hadron Resonance Gas (HRG) model, open heavy (strange or charm) mesons and baryons follow Boltzmann statistics as $m/T \gg 1$

$$P_{M/B}(T, \vec{\mu}) = \sum_{i \in \text{open C/S hadrons}} P_{M/B}^i \cosh(B_i \hat{\mu}_B + Q_i \hat{\mu}_Q + S_i \hat{\mu}_S + C_i \hat{\mu}_C)$$

differences of baryon- X correlations ($X=Q,S,C$):

$$\chi_{31}^{BX} - \chi_{11}^{BX} = \sum_i (B_i^3 - B_i) \times g_i(m^{\text{hadron}}) \longrightarrow \text{depends on hadron spectrum}$$

if $B=0, 1$, degrees of freedom are hadrons, $\chi_{31}^{BX} = \chi_{11}^{BX}$

if $B=1/3$, degrees of freedom are quarks, $\chi_{31}^{BX} \neq \chi_{11}^{BX}$

the decomposition of partial pressure arising from open charm baryons

$$P_B^C(T, \vec{\mu}) = B_{C,1} + B_{C,2} + B_{C,3} \Rightarrow \chi_{mn}^{BC} = B_{C,1} + 2^n B_{C,2} + 3^n B_{C,3}$$

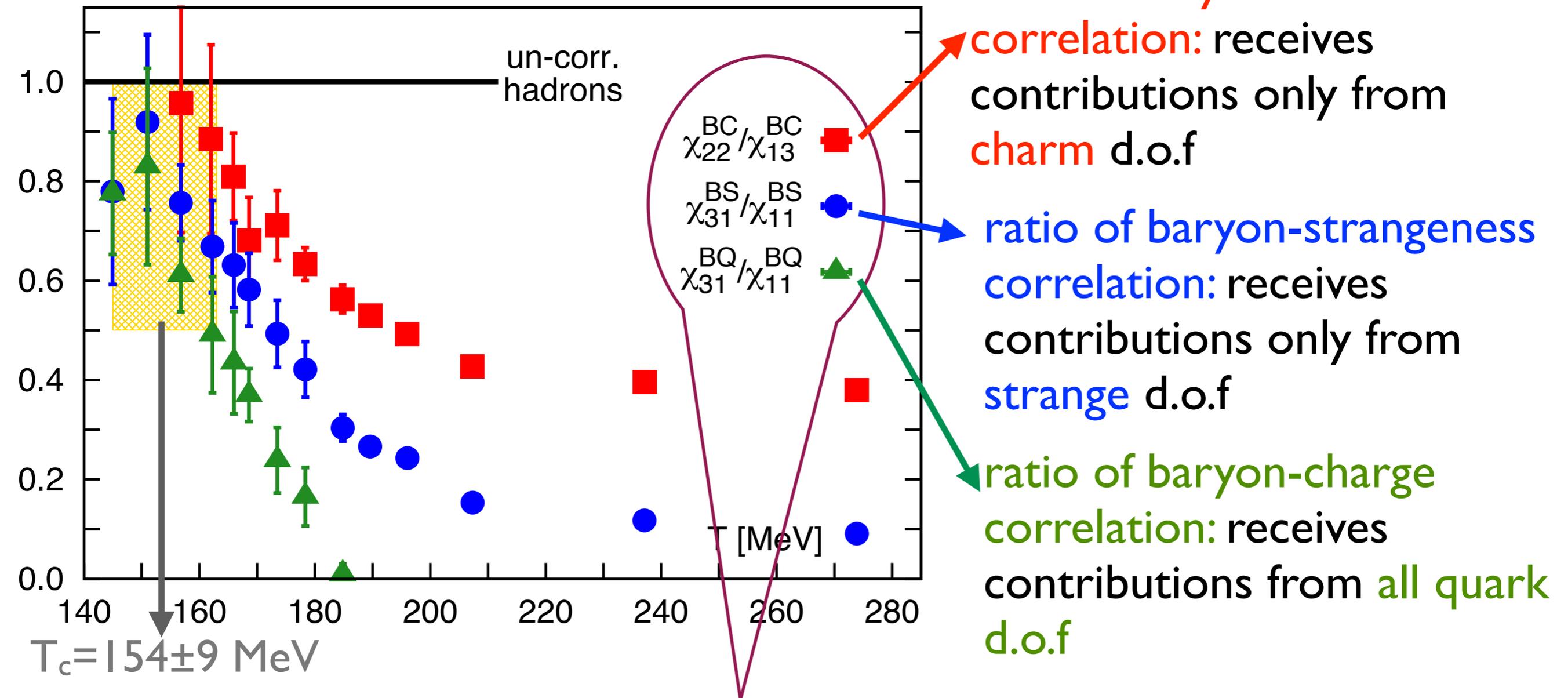
P_B^C is dominated by $|C|=1$ baryons due to large mass of $|C|=2,3$ baryons

\downarrow $m+n > 2$ and even

in the hadronic phase: $\chi_{mn}^{BC} \simeq B_{C,1}$, e.g. $\chi_{13}^{BC} \simeq \chi_{22}^{BC}$

deconfinement of open charm & strange hadrons

2+1f QCD, $N_T=8$ HISQ data, $m_\pi=160$ MeV, quenched charm



all equal to unity in an uncorrelated hadron resonance gas

Both open strange and charm hadrons start to get deconfined in the chiral crossover region

Hadron Resonance Gas model: revisited

$$P_{\text{total}} = \sum_{\text{all hadrons}} P_h$$

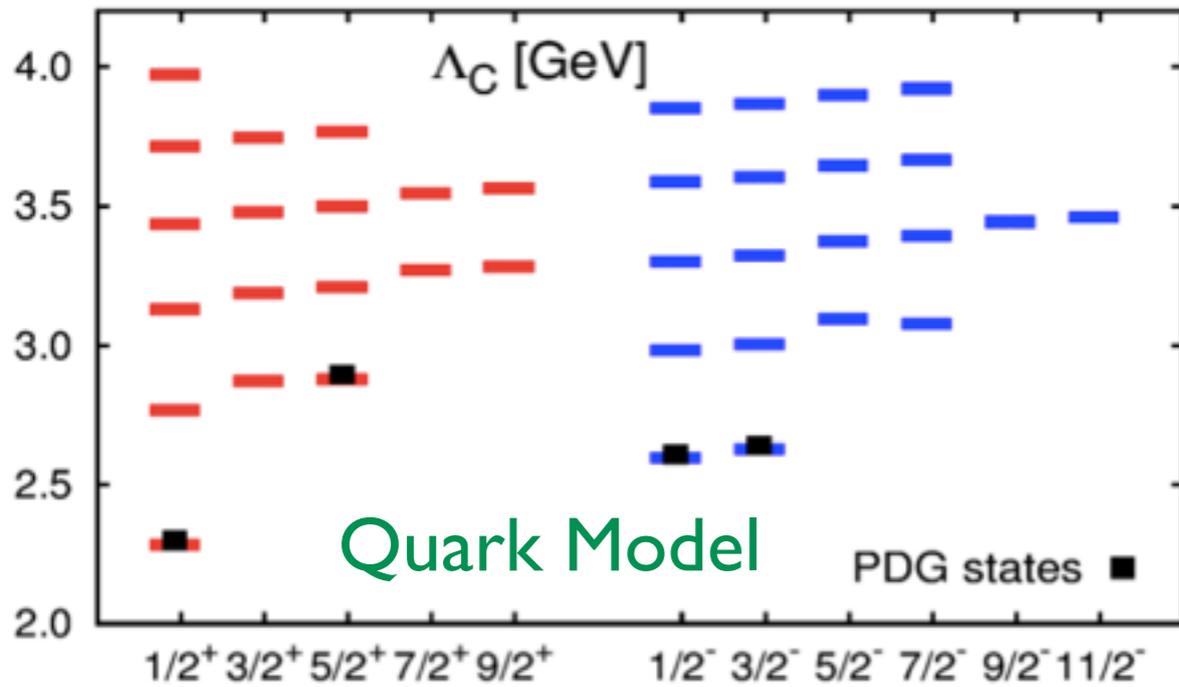


hadrons listed in PDG + ???

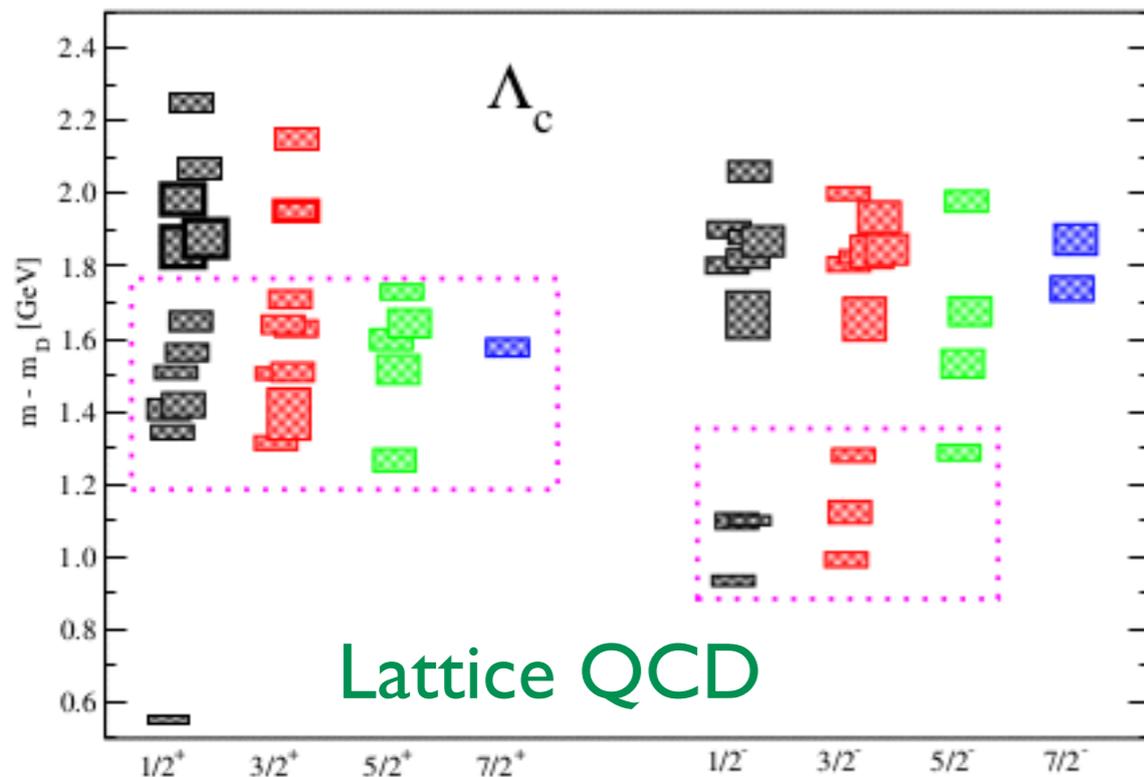
More states are predicted in relativistic Quark Model (QM) than listed in PDG

LQCD calculations give similar results with QM

Any thermodynamic significance from additional hadron states predicted in QM?

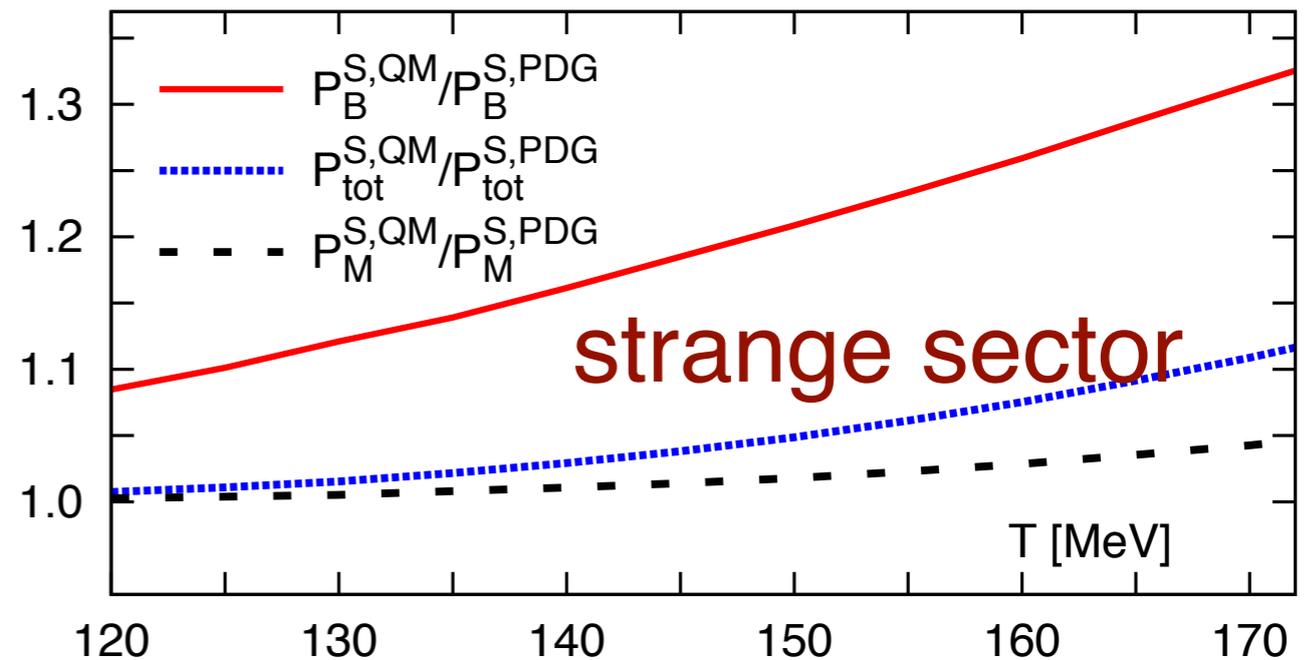
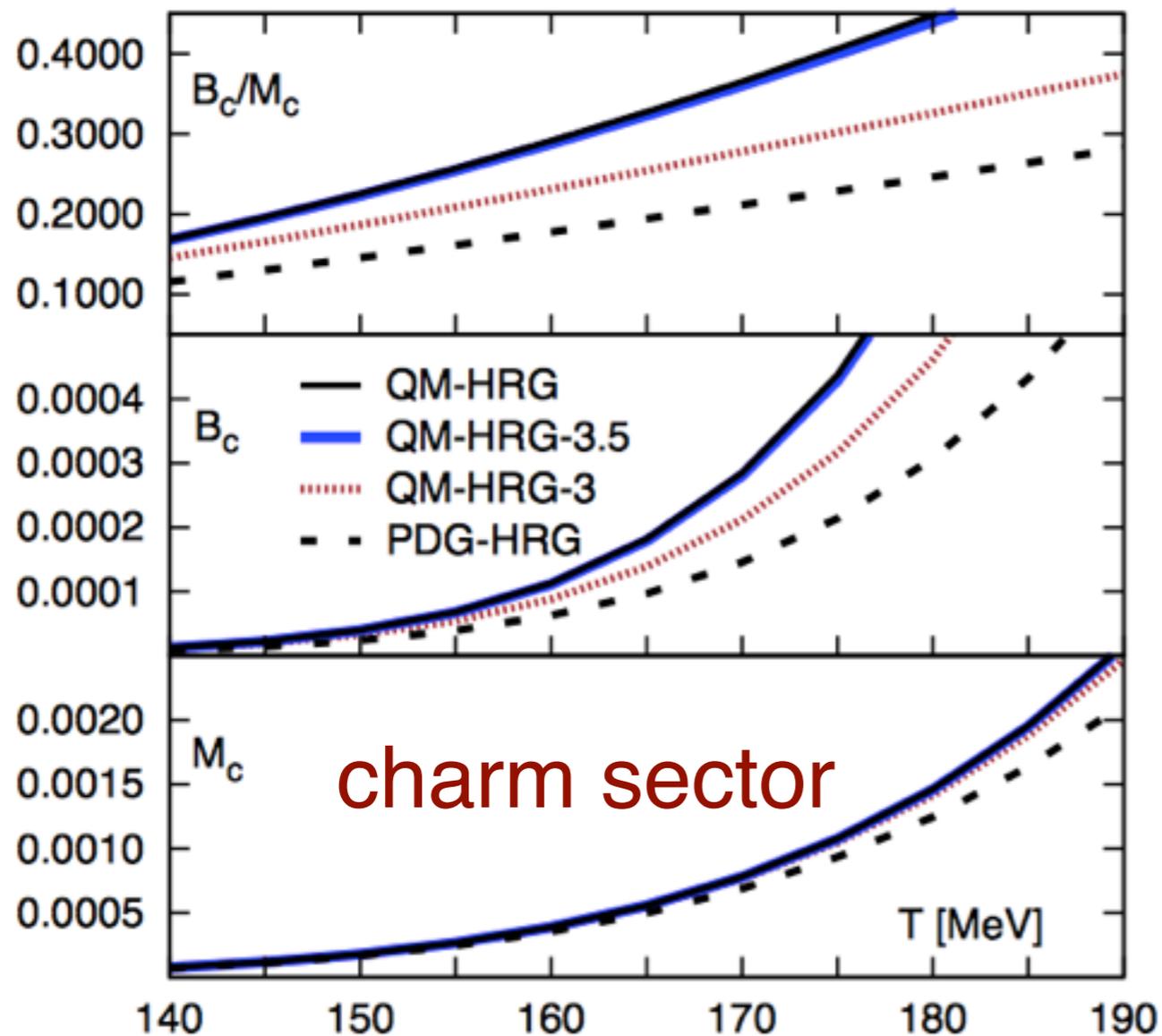


Ebert et. al., EPJC66(2010)197, PRD84(2011)014025



Padmanath et.al., arXiv:1311.4806 [hep-lat]

Additional open charm/strange hadrons in HRG



B: pressure from baryons
M: pressure from mesons

Less baryons than mesons are listed in PDG

The additional states from the Quark Model (QM) give considerable contributions to partial pressures at $T < 154$ MeV

Construction of observables to probe the abundance

decomposition of partial pressure (P) arising from heavy-light hadrons in HRG:

$$P_{M/B}(T, \vec{\mu}) = \sum_{i \in \text{open C/S hadrons}} P_{M/B}^i \cosh(B_i \hat{\mu}_B + Q_i \hat{\mu}_Q + S_i \hat{\mu}_S + C_i \hat{\mu}_C)$$

charm sector:

$$P_M^C(T, \vec{\mu}) = M_C, \quad P_B^C(T, \vec{\mu}) = B_{C,1} + B_{C,2} + B_{C,3}$$

$$\chi_{mn}^{BC} = B_{C,1} + 2^n B_{C,2} + 3^n B_{C,3} \simeq B_{C,1} \longleftarrow \text{partial P arising from baryons}$$

$$\chi_n^C = M_C + B_{C,1} + 2^n B_{C,2} + 3^n B_{C,3} \simeq M_C + B_{C,1} \quad \text{with n even}$$

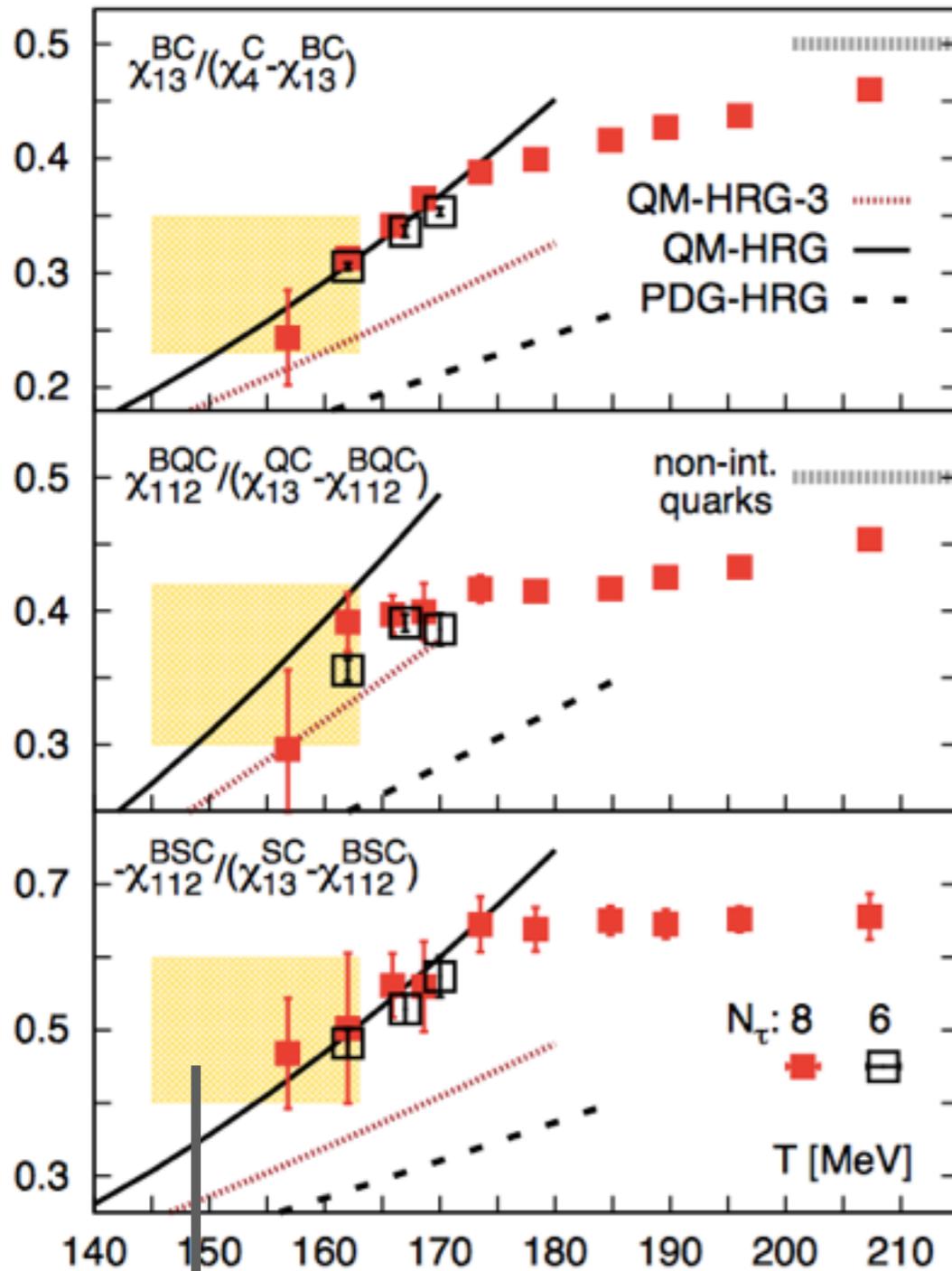
$$\chi_n^C - \chi_{mn}^{BC} \simeq M_C \longleftarrow \text{partial P arising from mesons}$$

 observables probing the relative contribution of baryons and mesons to the partial pressures

$$\chi_{mn}^{BC} / (\chi_n^C - \chi_{mn}^{BC}), \quad \text{e.g.} \quad \chi_{13}^{BC} / (\chi_4^C - \chi_{13}^{BC})$$

Abundance of open charm hadrons

2+1f QCD, $N_f=8$ HISQ data, $m_\pi=160$ MeV



Use appropriate projections to check the relative contributions of:

charm baryons to open charm mesons

charged charm baryons to open charm mesons

strange-charmed baryons to strange-charmed mesons

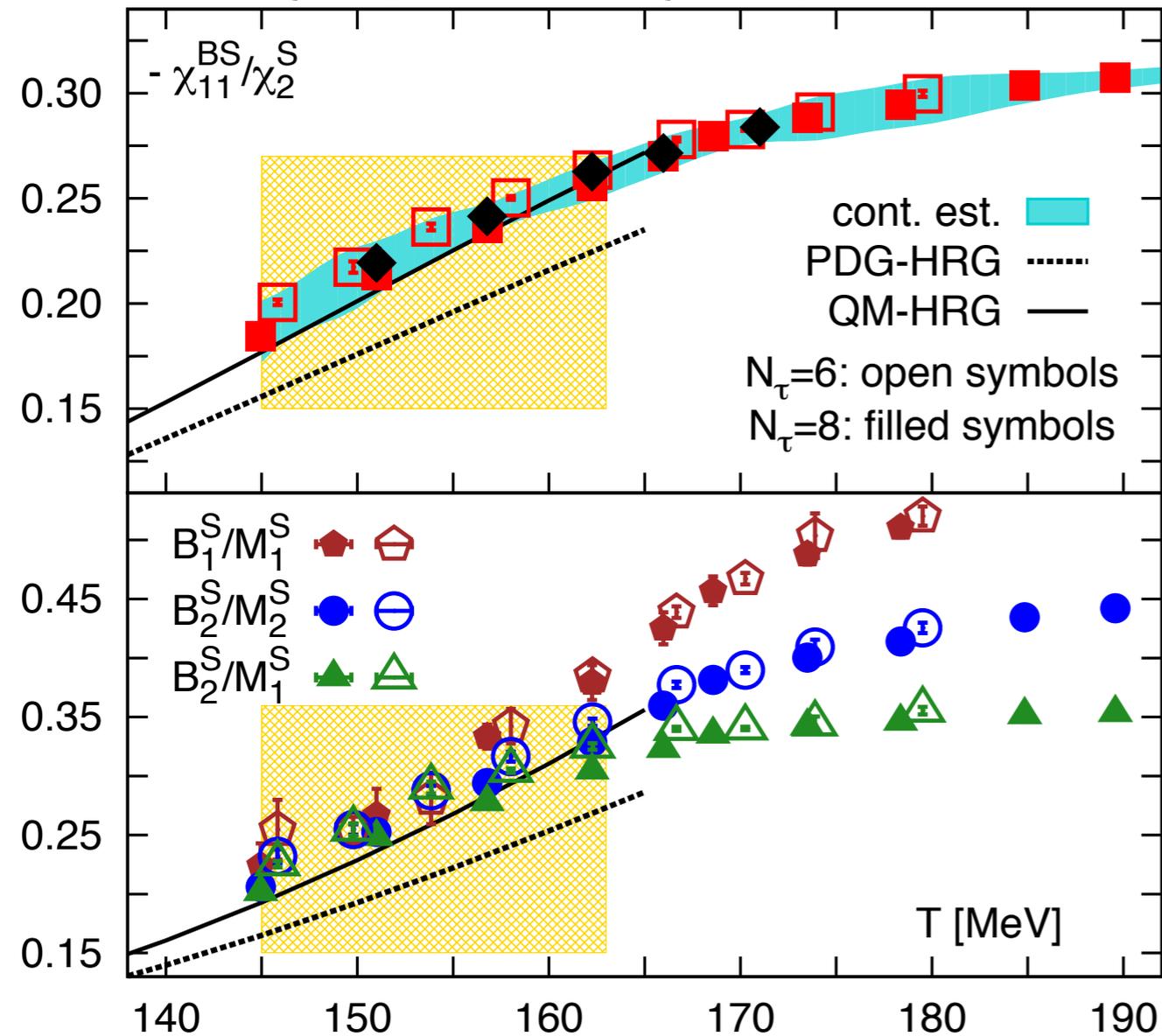
Clear evidence of the additional, non-PDG listed states from QCD thermodynamics is found

A. Bazavov, HTD et al., [BNL-Bielefeld-CCNU], 1404.4043

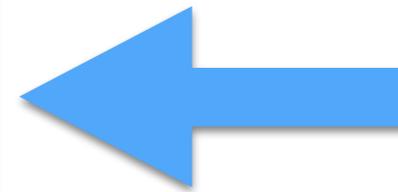
Importance of additional states has also been pointed out in Majumder and Mueller, PRL 105(2010)252002 & Beitel, Gallmeister and Greiner, 1402.1458

Additional open strange hadrons from QCD thermodynamics

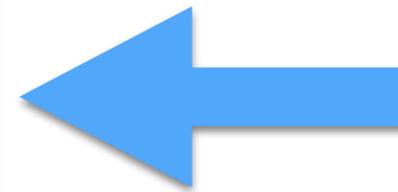
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Relative contributions of strange baryons to open strange mesons



in strange-baryon correlations



in partial pressures

B_i/M_j are identical in the hadronic phase
 reconfirms that the onset of the deconfinement of open strange hadrons is same as light-quark hadrons

QM-HRG describes the lattice data better than PDG-HRG

Evidence of contributions of additional, experimental yet unobserved open strange hadrons to the QCD thermodynamics

strangeness chemical potential in HIC

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expand μ_s/μ_B
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of μ_B :

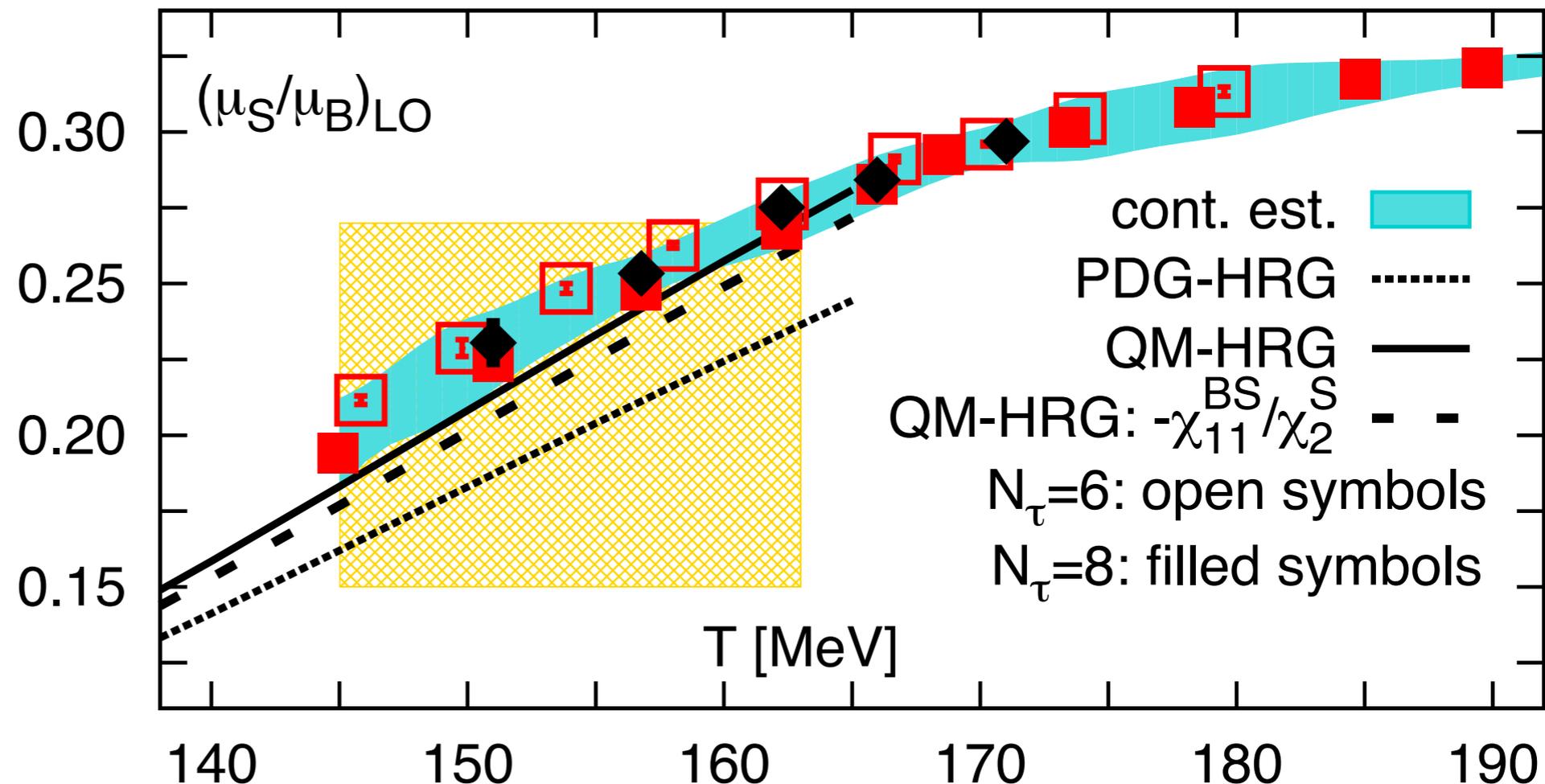
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at $\mu_B < 200$ MeV

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the relative abundance of strange baryons to open strange mesons

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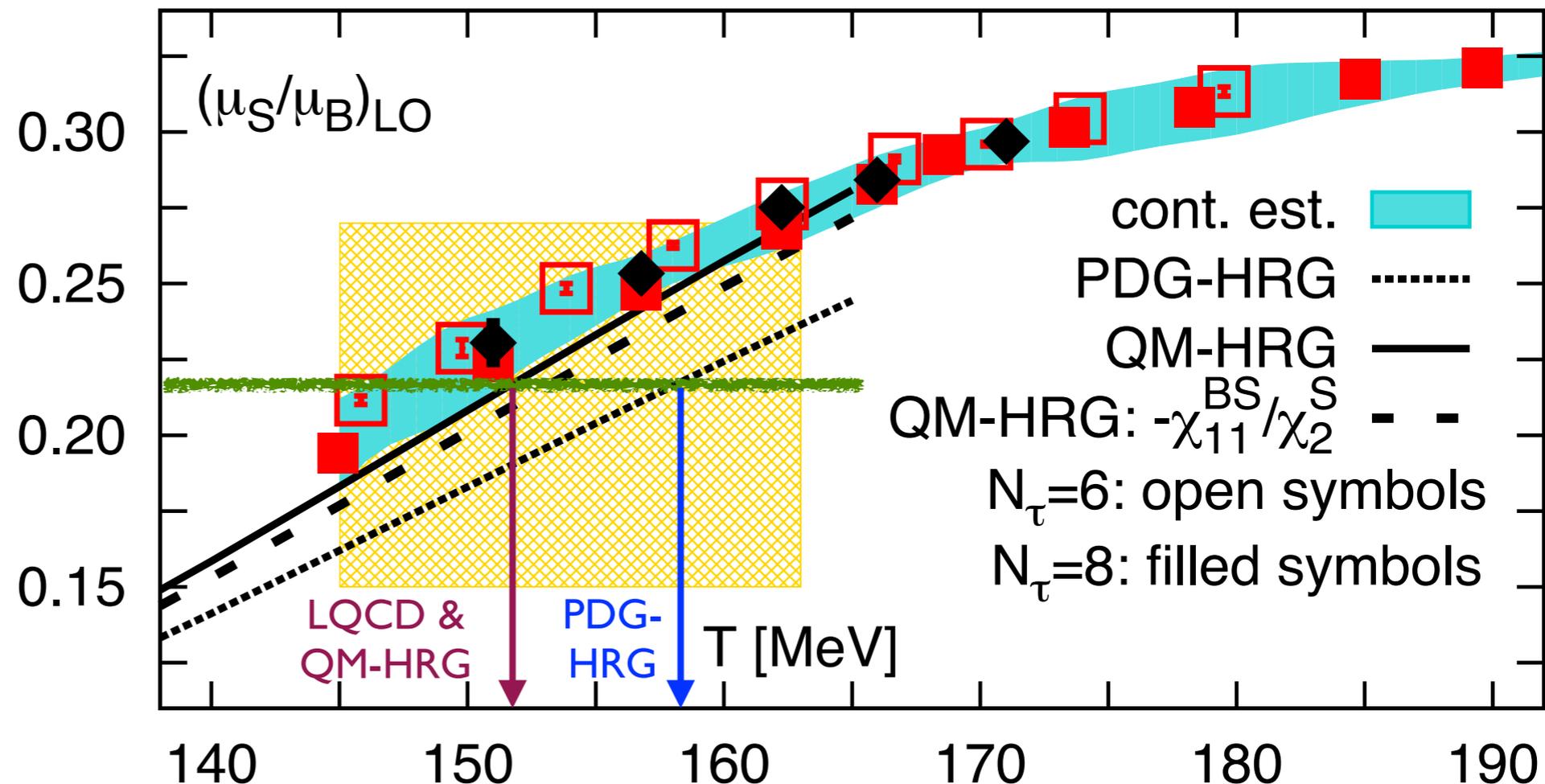
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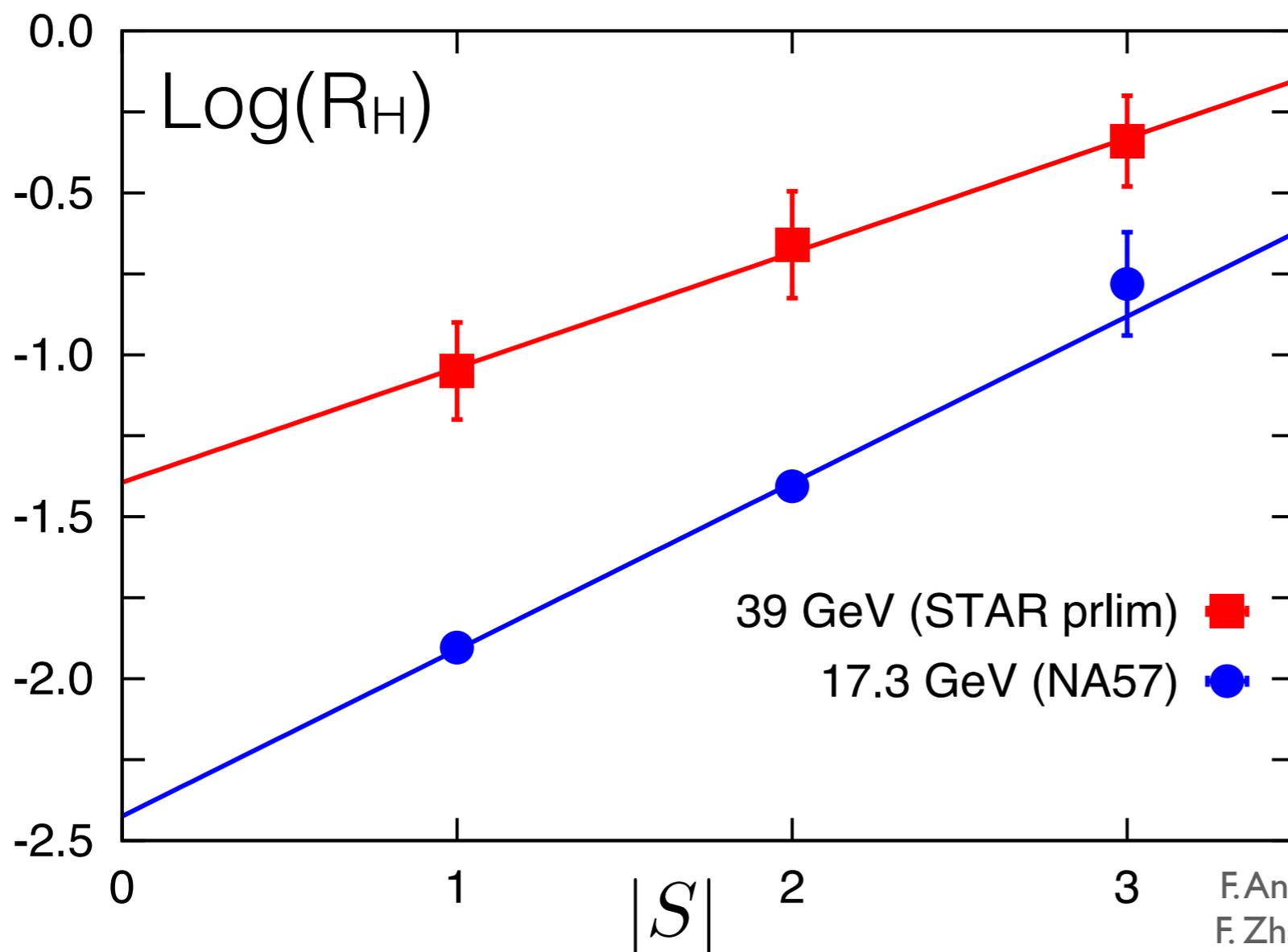


Strange hadron yields in Heavy Ion Collisions

Two-parameter fit to experiment data using HRG ansatz
irrespective of the details of hadron spectrum

$$R_H \equiv \frac{\bar{H}_S}{H_S} = \exp \left[-2 \left(\frac{\mu_B^f}{T^f} \right) \times \left(1 - \left(\frac{\mu_S^f}{\mu_B^f} \right) |S| \right) \right]$$

$\bar{\Lambda}/\Lambda$ $\bar{\Xi}/\Xi$ $\bar{\Omega}/\Omega$



imprinted by the presence
of experimentally yet
unobserved strange
hadrons

Compare the extracted
 μ_S/μ_B and μ_B/T with
those from HRG &
Lattice QCD

Do strange hadrons require a higher freeze out temperature than non-strange hadrons?

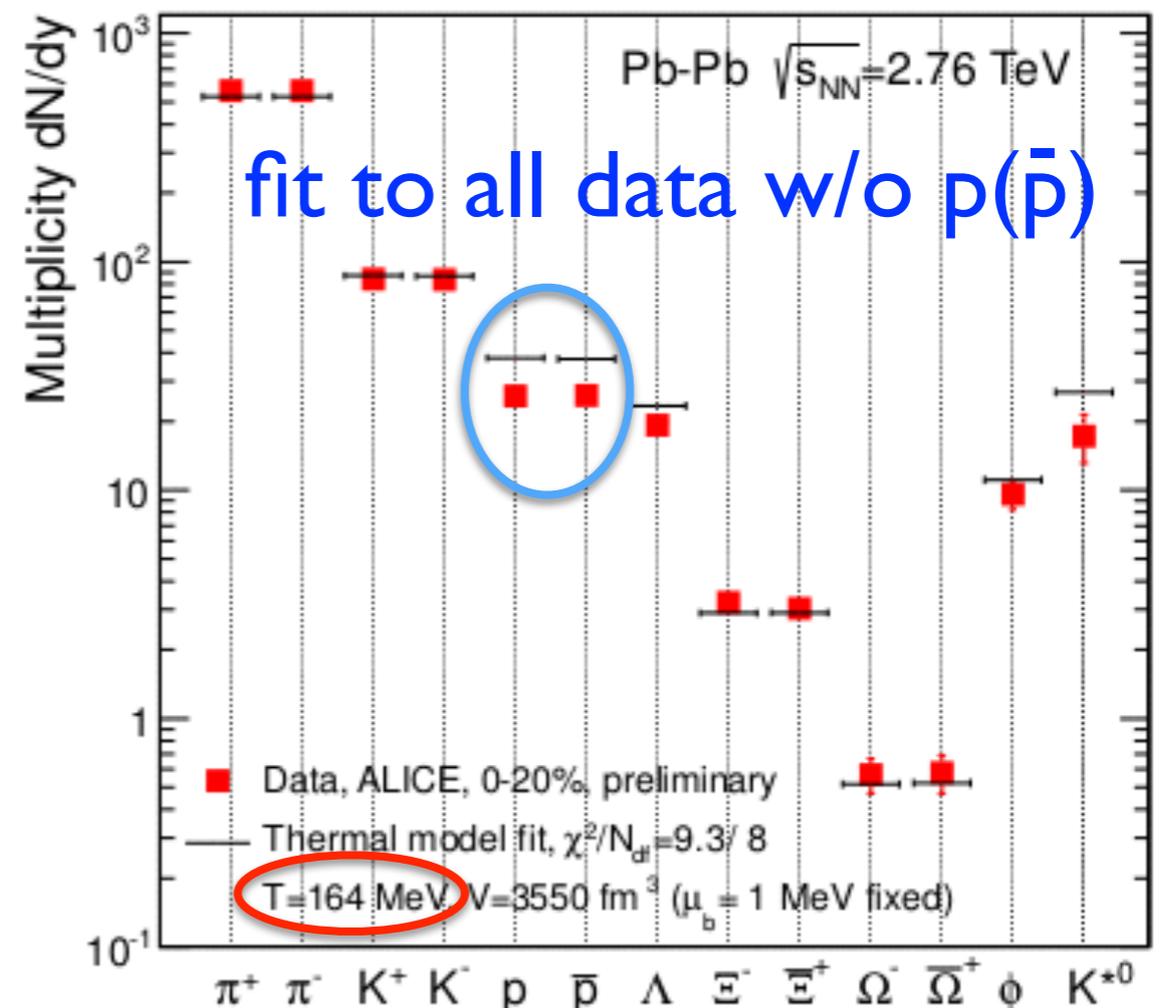
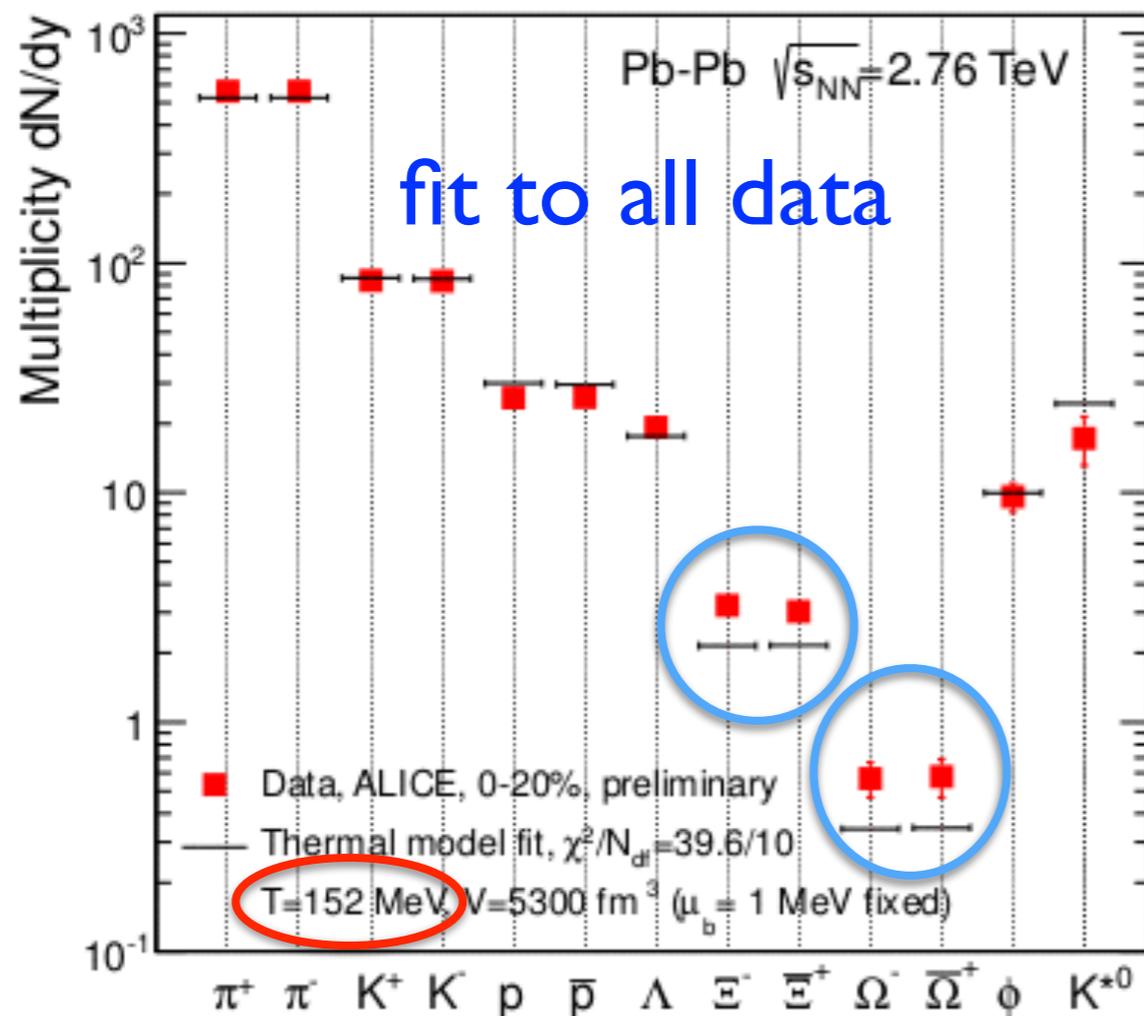
The possibility has been discussed frequently

Alba et al., arXiv:1403.4903,

Bugaev et al., EPL 104(2013)22002

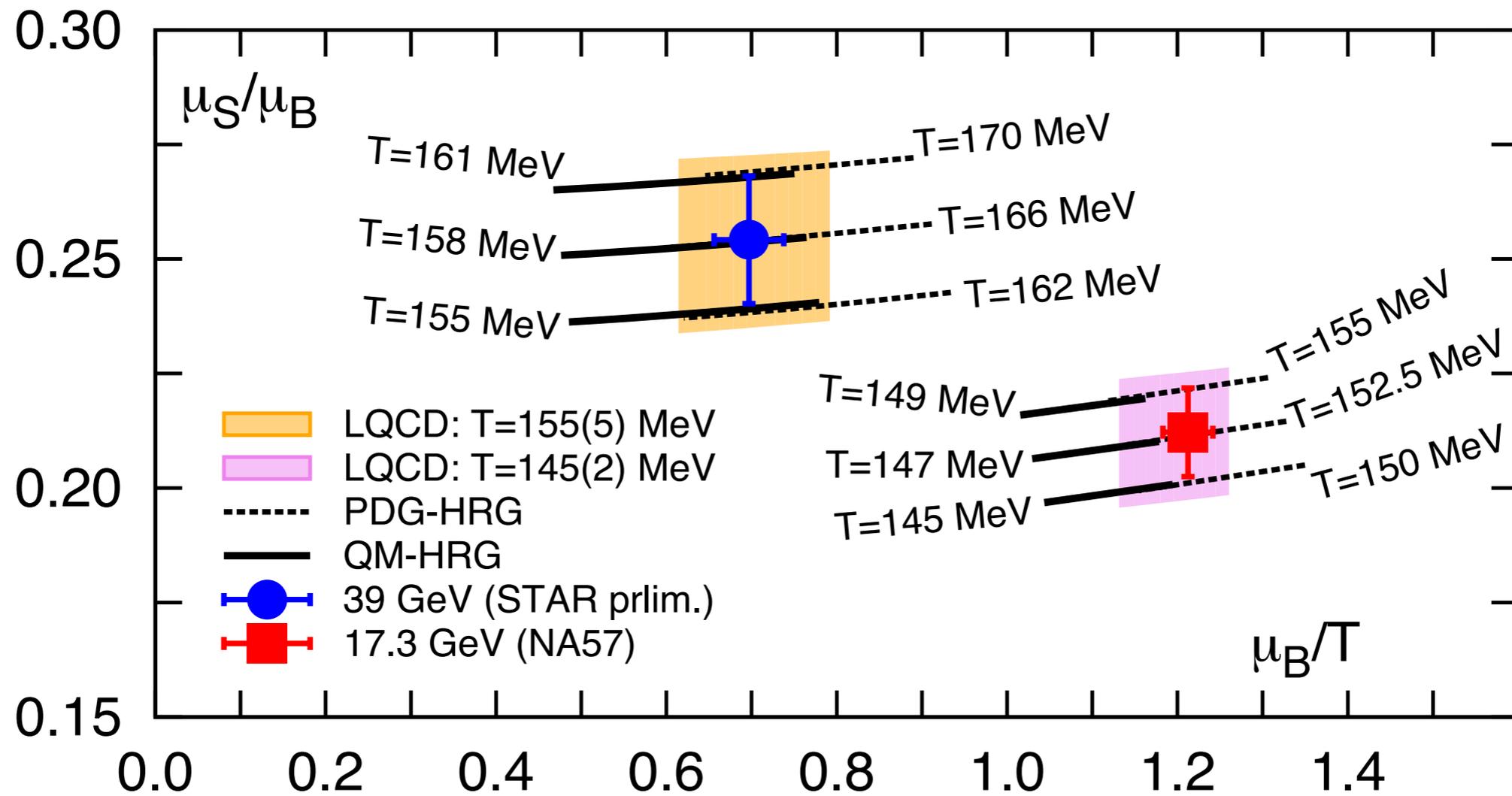
Bellwied et al., [WV Collaboration], Phys.Rev. Lett. 111(2013)202302,

Chatterjee, Godbole, Gupta, PLB 727(2013)554



Andronic et al., Nucl. Phys.A904 (2013) 535c

Imprints of unobserved states in strangeness freeze out in HIC



In the strange sector, the PDG-HRG based analysis give **larger** freeze out temperature than QM-HRG & LQCD by **about 5-8 MeV**

QM-HRG should be the preferable choice to determine freeze out temperature at large μ_B where LQCD is not applicable

Summary

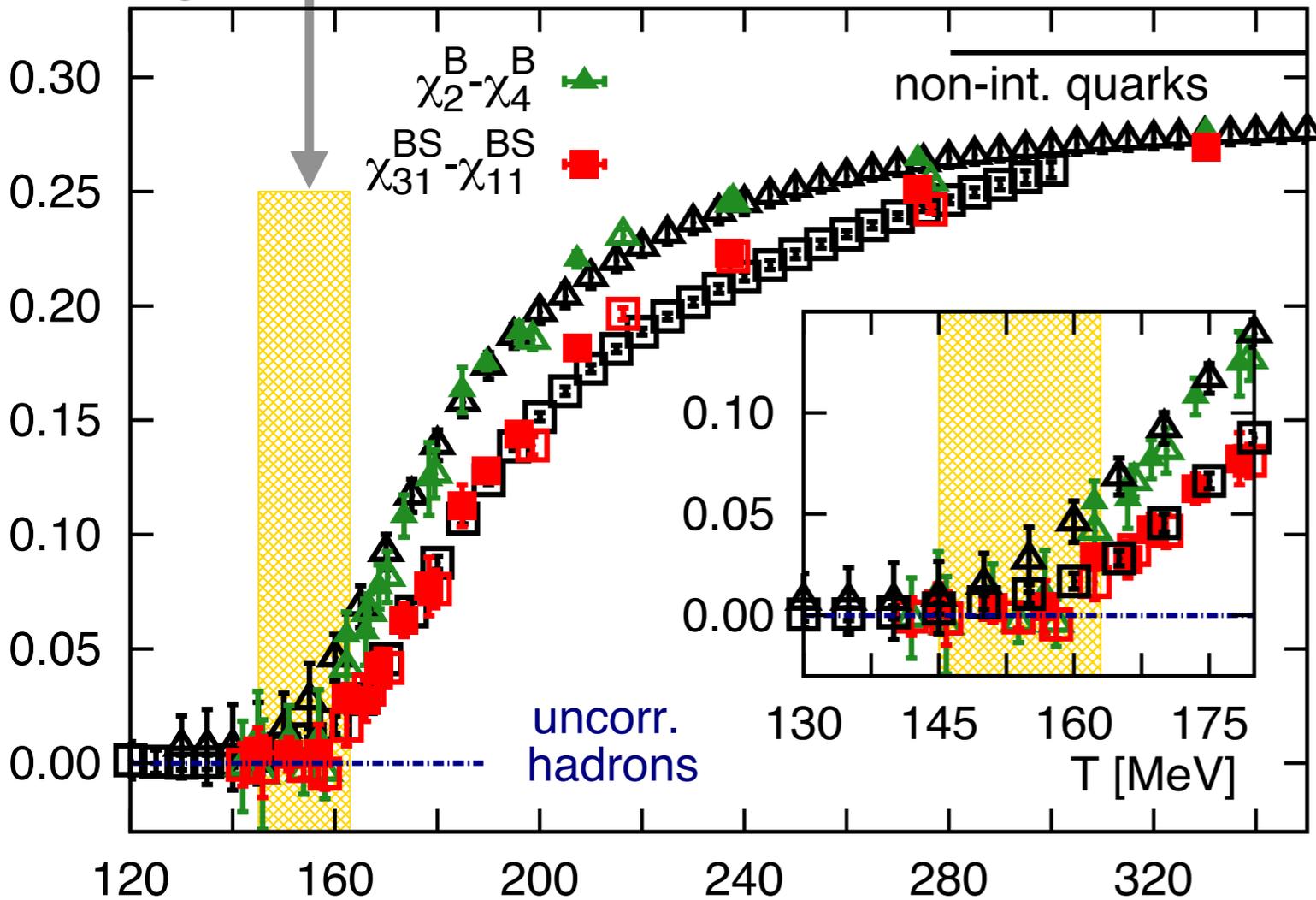
- We have performed simulations on $N_t=6,8$ lattices using HISQ action with a light to strange quark mass ratio of $1/20$ and having charm quarks treated in the quenched approximation
- Open strange/charm hadrons start to get deconfined at temperatures in the chiral crossover region
- Evidence is found for the contribution from experimentally yet unobserved open strange and charm hadrons to the QCD thermodynamics
- Hadron Resonance Gas model including non-PDG listed states are consistent with Lattice QCD below T_c . Such an HRG is preferable to be used to determine freeze out/hadronization temperatures in HIC

Lattice setup

- 2+1 flavor configurations with HISQ/tree action
- $24^3 \times 6$ and $32^3 \times 8$ lattices
- physical strange quark with $m_l/m_s=20 \Rightarrow m_\pi=160$ MeV
- quenched charm quark, determined by setting spin average $(m_{\eta_c}+3m_{J/\psi})/4$ to its physical value
- ~ 5000 configurations at lower temperatures
- 1500-6000 stochastic estimators

Deconfinement of hadrons carrying strangeness

$T_c = 154 \pm 9$ MeV



$\chi_2^B - \chi_4^B$: receives contributions from all **hadrons**

$\chi_{31}^{BS} - \chi_{11}^{BS}$: receive contributions only from **open strange hadrons**

Agreement between **stout** (black points) and **HISQ** (green & red points) results

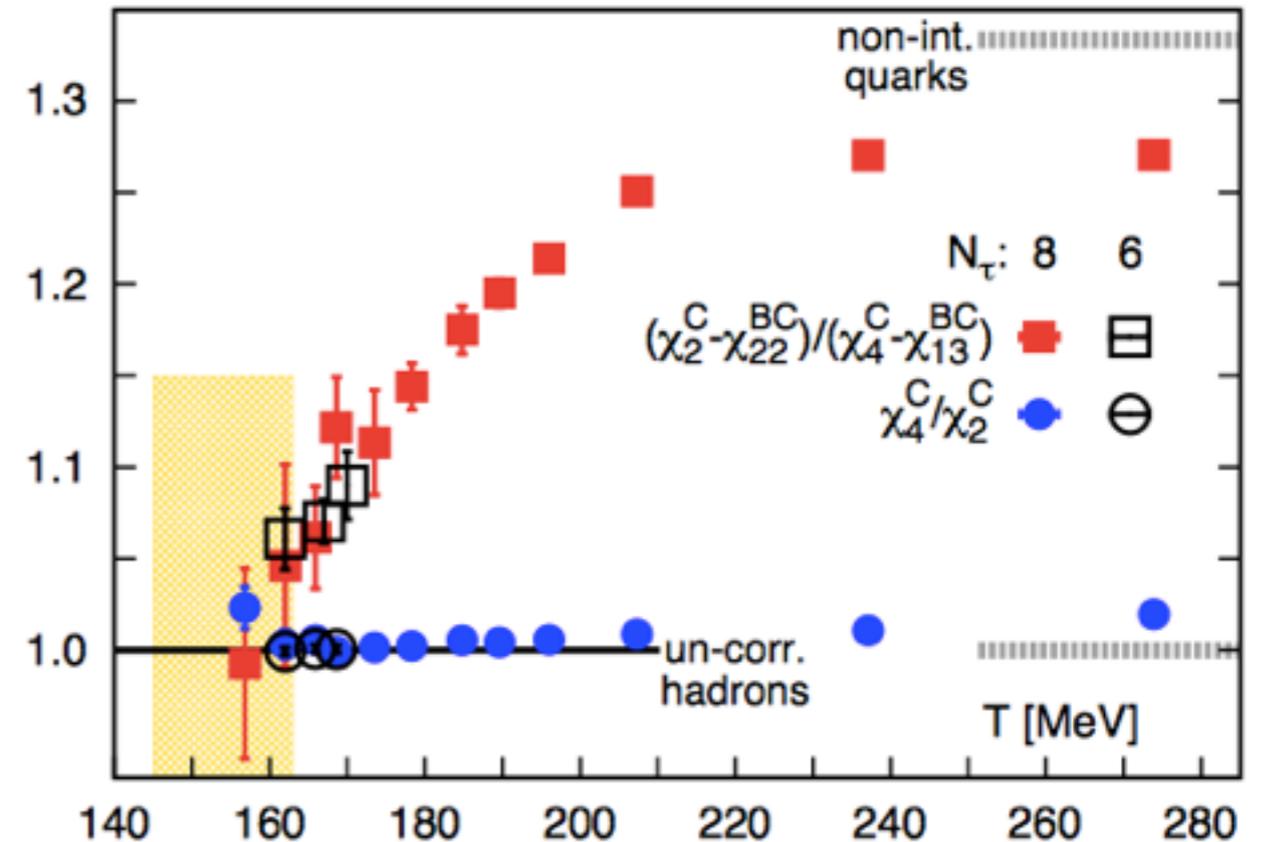
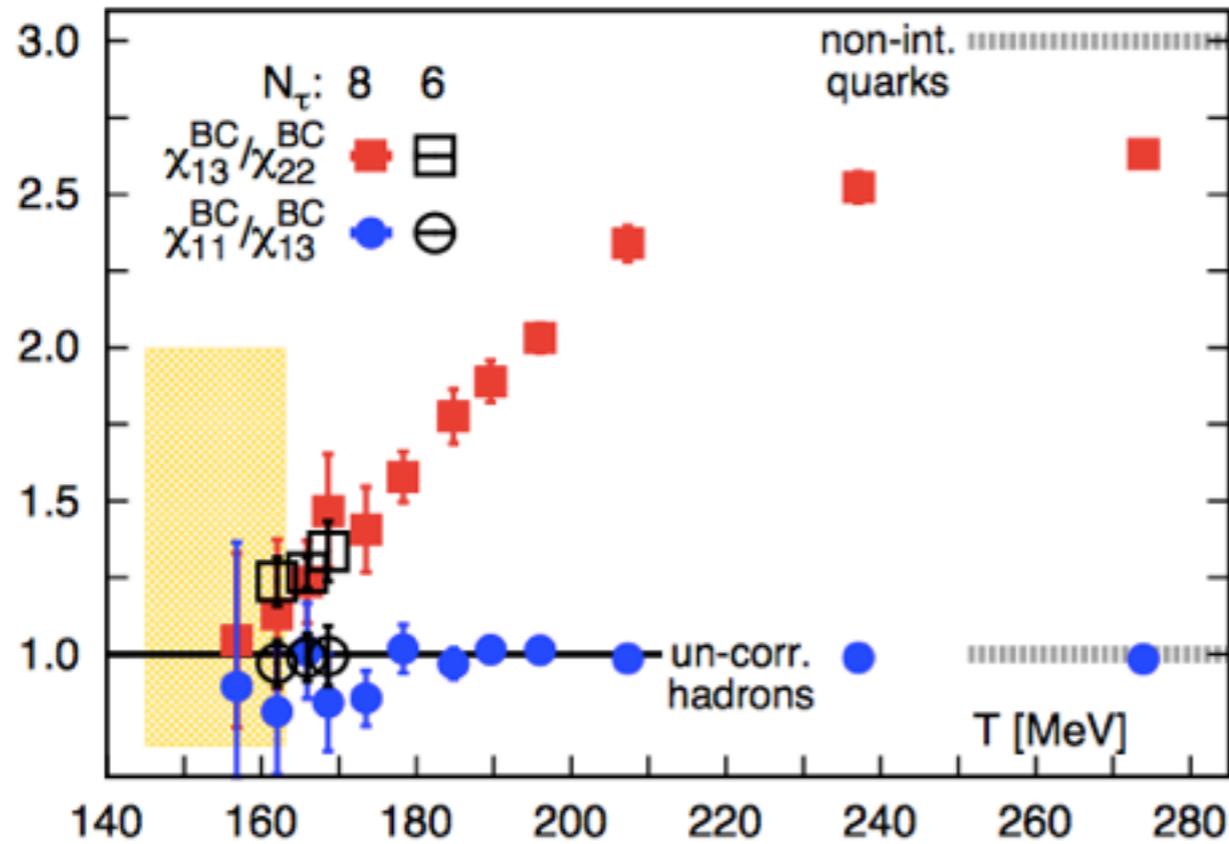
stout data from Wuppertal-Budapest, Phys.Rev. Lett. 111(2013)202302

$T \lesssim T_c$: strangeness carrying d.o.f. (sDoF) come with integer baryon numbers

$T > T_c$: sDoF come with fractional baryon numbers and behave like light quark d.o.f.

deconfinement of open strange hadrons starts to take place in the chiral crossover region

Onset of the dissociation of open charm hadrons



$$P_{c,free}(m_c/T, \vec{\mu}/T)/T^4 \propto \cosh\left(\frac{\hat{\mu}_B}{3} + \frac{2\hat{\mu}_Q}{3} + \hat{\mu}_C\right)$$